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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re the Application of**

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**Application No.: New PCT National Stage Application**

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**For: A METHOD FOR PERFORMING A SCHEDULING  
ALGORITHM WITH A MINIMUM RESOURCE PARAMETER  
AND METHOD OF CALCULATING SAME**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

**Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231**

**Sir:**

**Please amend the above application as follows:**